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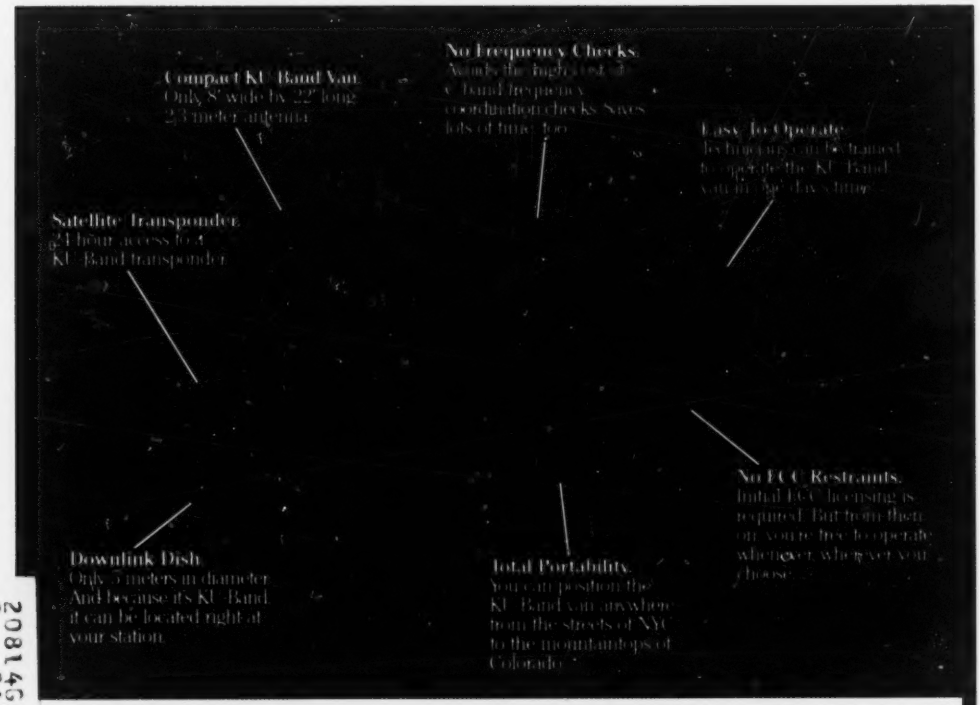

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gious programs do not present as much contrast as has been supposed. "Discussion of political issues occurs in over half of both television ministry and mainline programs (but only one-third of general prime time TV programs)," it said. "The TV ministries are more likely than mainline church programs to ask for money, with the prominent television ministries making the more numerous requests and asking for greater amounts."

Social and moral issues were found to be discussed slightly more on the prominent TV ministries while religious and theological issues were not broached with "any great frequency."

With regard to participants in religious programs, the report said men outnumber women by a considerable margin, women are generally younger than men, and minorities—especially minority women and Hispanics—are underrepresented. It was also pointed out that women are "rarely, if ever, in the role of the clergy and rarely quote the Bible."

The report offered these audience profiles:

"Heavy viewers of religious programs are more likely than nonviewers to describe themselves as conservatives, oppose a nuclear freeze, favor tougher laws against pornography and report voting in the last general election. Heavy viewers of television tend to describe themselves as political moderates, are more likely to favor a nuclear freeze, are not as concerned with pornography (or with the 'moral climate'), and are far less likely to say that they voted in a general election."

The Annenberg research team included George Gerbner, Larry Gross, Stewart Hoover, Michael Morgan and Nancy Signorielli. Also participating were Harry E. Cotugno of the Gallup Organization with Robert Wuthnow of Princeton University.

The project was initiated by the Communications Commission of the National Council of Churches and the National Religious Broadcasters. Originally, it was intended to get a clearer understanding of the nationally syndicated religious broadcasts and was later enlarged to deal with all religious television. □

ABC and CBS tie in final ratings week

Powered by a 50 share delivered by the 56th annual Academy Awards as well as victories on four nights and four of the top 10 shows, ABC was able to tie with CBS in the prime time ratings for the 29th and final week of the 1983-84 season. It was also a week that saw ***60 Minutes***, which featured a never-before-seen exclusive interview with former President Richard Nixon, knocked out of its top 10 perch to position number 12 and turning in its second worst performance of the season with a 20.1/33.

For the week ended April 15, ABC recorded a 17.5 rating and a 28.6 share of all television homes, compared with CBS's 17.5/28.5 and NBC's 12.8/20.8. For the season (Sept. 26, 1983-April 15, 1984), CBS had an average of 18.1 rating, 5% ahead of ABC's 17.2 and 21% ahead of NBC's 14.9 (see "Top of the Week," this issue).

ABC had four of the top 10 shows, while CBS took five and NBC one. ABC won Monday, Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday, while CBS took Thursday and Friday and was even able to wrestle Tuesday from NBC because of the good performance recorded by part two of its miniseries, ***George Washington***.

NBC took second place three nights of the week, while ABC and CBS split second place twice each. Third place fell to NBC four times, ABC twice, and CBS once.

CBS led in the early evening network news, recording a 12.2 rating compared with 10.5 on ABC and 10.0 on NBC.

The week of April 9-15, day by day:

■ Monday. ABC was victorious this night due to a Barbara Walters special (22/34) and the 56th annual Academy Awards (30.3/50), which, respectively, ranked as the fifth and first shows of the week. ABC averaged 28.5/43.1 and CBS had to take backseat to NBC which came in second with its ***TV Bloopers and Practical Jokes*** (17.7/26) and the NBC Monday night movie, "Damnation Alley" (14.4/22).

■ Tuesday. The second part of CBS's ***George Washington*** miniseries pushed that network into first place for the night, traditionally an NBC slot this past season. But NBC put up a tough fight with reruns of its regular lineup—***A Team***, ***Riptide*** and ***Remington Steele***—which brought the network into second place with an average 17/27.2, slightly under CBS's average for the night of 17.7/28.5. CBS's new ***American Parade***, on its third outing, pulled 11.6/18, its best performance yet but still 85th out of 101 ranked programs for the week.

■ Wednesday. CBS took the evening based solely on the strength of the third part of ***George Washington***, which ran at 8-11 p.m. and averaged 20.7/33. ABC made a strong showing at 9-10 p.m., when ***Dynasty*** recorded a 21.6/32, making it the sixth-ranked program of the week.

■ Thursday. CBS came in first with an average 20.3/33.4 based on reruns of its regular lineup. NBC came in second with an average 13.6/22.6, and its premiere of ***Duck Factory*** drew a 13.8/22, a lead-in that didn't help that network from slipping into third place in the 10-11 p.m. slot with a rerun of ***Hill Street Blues***.

■ Friday. CBS took this night with an average 19.7/34.1, sweeping each half-hour after 9 p.m. with original episodes of ***Dallas*** and ***Falcon Crest***. ***Dallas***, at 24.9/41, was the highest rated regular series of the week. ABC took the 8-9 p.m. slot with reruns of ***Benson*** (14.6/26) and ***Webster*** (16.3/27) against a repeat of ***Dukes of Hazzard*** (13.7/24).

■ Saturday. ABC won the evening with a repeat of a special two-hour ***Love Boat*** (15.4/27), but CBS again demonstrated its new foothold in the 10-11 p.m. slot with ***Mike Hammer*** (15/29), outperforming ***Fantasy Island*** (13.4/26) on ABC and ***Yellow Rose*** on NBC (8.7/17).

■ Sunday. CBS, the traditional winner, took a back seat to ABC which carried the night with the four-hour-plus Cecil B. DeMille classic, "Ten Commandments" (21.4/34). It was the seventh-ranked program of the week. NBC's repeat of the first part of ***Jesus of Nazareth*** averaged 12.2/19 in the 9-11 p.m. slot. □

Rank	Show	Network	Rating/Share
1.	Academy Awards	ABC	30.3/50
2.	Dallas	CBS	24.9/41
3.	Simon & Simon	CBS	22.9/36
4.	A Team	NBC	22.3/34
5.	Barbara Walters Special	ABC	22.0/34
6.	Dynasty	ABC	21.6/38
7.	The Ten Commandments	ABC	21.4/34
8.	Magnum P.I.	CBS	21.0/34
9.	George Washington, part II	CBS	20.8/34
10.	George Washington, part III	CBS	20.7/33
11.	Falcon Crest	CBS	20.5/37
12.	60 Minutes	CBS	20.1/33
13.	TV's Bloopers, Practical Jokes	NBC	17.7/26
14.	Fall Guy	ABC	17.5/28
15.	Hotel	ABC	17.2/29
16.	Alice	CBS	17.2/26
17.	Diana	CBS	17.0/30
18.	Three's Company	ABC	16.5/25
19.	Jeffersons	CBS	16.5/24
20.	Webster	ABC	16.3/27
21.	Trapper John, M.D.	CBS	16.8/26
22.	Suzanne Pleshette Show	CBS	15.6/24
23.	Cheers	NBC	15.5/24
23.	Riptide	NBC	15.5/24
25.	Love Boat	ABC	15.4/27
25.	20/20	ABC	15.4/27
27.	Foulups, Bleeps & Blunders	ABC	15.2/24
28.	Family Ties	NBC	15.1/24
29.	Domestic Life	CBS	15.1/23
30.	Mike Hammer	CBS	15.0/29
31.	Scarecrow & Mrs. King	CBS	14.9/22
32.	Benson	ABC	14.6/26
33.	Damnation Alley	NBC	14.4/22
34.	Facts of Life	NBC	14.2/21
35.	Shaping Up	ABC	14.0/22
36.	a.k.a. Pablo	ABC	14.0/21
37.	Gimme A Break	NBC	13.8/23
38.	Duck Factory	NBC	13.8/22
39.	Dukes of Hazzard	CBS	13.7/24
40.	Fantasy Island	ABC	13.4/26
41.	Airwolf	CBS	13.4/24
42.	Double Trouble	NBC	13.4/20
43.	Remington Steele	NBC	13.3/24
44.	Still the Beaver	CBS	12.6/19
45.	Bugs Bunny Easter Special	CBS	12.5/22
46.	Diff'rent Strokes	NBC	12.4/22
47.	Real People	NBC	12.3/19
48.	Jesus of Nazareth part I	NBC	12.2/19
49.	Hart To Hart	ABC	12.1/21
50.	Hill Street Blues	NBC	11.8/21
50.	People Are Funny	NBC	11.8/21
52.	Jennifer Slept Here	NBC	11.7/21
53.	That's Incredible	ABC	11.7/19
54.	American Parade	CBS	11.6/18
55.	Matt Houston	ABC	10.8/20
56.	TV's Greatest Bloopers	NBC	10.7/19
57.	Two Marriages	ABC	10.7/17
58.	Mama's Family	NBC	10.6/19
59.	Knight Rider	NBC	10.5/17
60.	St. Elsewhere	NBC	10.3/17
61.	Master	NBC	10.2/18
62.	Masquerade	ABC	8.9/15
63.	Yellow Rose	NBC	8.7/17
64.	Father Murphy	NBC	6.5/11

*indicates premiere episode

In contest

■ Commission denied request by Turner Broadcasting Systems Inc. to initiate rulemaking considering elimination of cable television mandatory local television broadcast signal carriage rules. FCC claimed growth in cable subscribership and growth in system channel capacity have made carriage less burdensome and impact of noncarriage more significant for local broadcast station operations, supporting continuation rather than elimination of rules.

■ Miami-Fort Lauderdale, Fla.—Chief, Common Carrier Bureau, dismissed motion for clarification by Cell-Tel Network that asked Bureau to vacate two orders dismissing amendements and to clarify Bureau standards regarding *de minimis* extensions in Miami Metropolitan Statistical Area. (CC 83-661). MO&O adopted April 5.

■ Augusta, Ga., and Clearwater, S.C.—ALJ, Edward Luton, granted motion by Wavelengths Inc. and dismissed with prejudice its app. for FM at Augusta. (MM 83-1025-1029). Order adopted March 30.

■ New York—Denied Brent Buell and others review of Sept. 6, 1983, staff ruling denying fairness complaint against WCBS-TV New York. (FCC 84-117). MO&O adopted March 29.

■ Omaha—ALJ, John H. Conlin, granted app. of Pappas Telecasting Inc. for new UHF on channel 42 at Omaha and denied competing app. of Christian Broadcasting of the Midlands Inc. for same facility. (BC 81-178-9). Initial decision issued March 29.

■ Dallas-Fort Worth—Granted joint petition by LIN Cellular Communications Corp. and D/FW Signal Inc. for approval of agreement; dismissed D/FW's app. for new cellular system to operate on frequency block A in Domestic Public Cellular Telecommunications Service at Dallas-Fort Worth. (CC 83-945). MO&O adopted March 22.

Et cetera

■ Until it has considered petitions to adopt new channel plan for 18 ghz band, commission will not accept applications for new broadcast, cable television relay, common carrier or private operational-fixed microwave operations on frequencies between 17,700 mhz and 19,700 mhz, except for timely filed app.'s mutually exclusive with app.'s submitted on or before April 5.

■ In order to facilitate more efficient use of available spectrum, commission is proposing to amend parts 2 and 74 of rules by: (a) splitting UHF channels at 450 mhz where permissable bandwidth is 50 khz or more and splitting VHF channels at 153 and 161 mhz where permissable bandwidth is 30 khz or more, and (b) allowing use of Amplitude Compandored Sideband (ASCB) or other narrowband technologies on almost all currently assignable frequencies.

■ Bureau, terminated existing annual rates of $3.60 or $5.36 for each pole attachment arising out of agreements between Georgia Power Co. and Cablevision of Augusta Inc., Jefferson Cable Television Corp., Alert Cable TV Inc., Wometco Cable TV of Fayette County Inc. and Group W/Westinghouse Broadcasting and Cable Inc., and substituted $2.66 annual rate, ordering Georgia Power to make refunds with interest. MO&O adopted March 29.

■ FCC began rulemaking on applicability of satellite procurement rules and need to retain them, based on conclusion that public interest would be served by modification of earth station ownership policy to permit individual carrier ownership.

■ FCC issued report on integrated services digital networks, which are designed to provide telecommunications and information services by sending electrical signals in digital rather than analog form. (FCC 84-131). Adopted March 30.

Facilities changes

AM applications

Tendered

■ KDFN (1500 khz) Doniphan, Mo.—Seeks CP to change power to 2.5 kw-D, 1 kw-N; change TL and make changes in ant. sys. App. April 16.

■ WKLM (980 khz) Leland, N.C.—Seeks MP to change SL. App. April 12.

■ KTCI (1450 khz) Gonzales, Tex.—Seeks CP to increase power to 1 kw. App. April 16.

■ KTOL (1500 khz) Lacey, Wash.—Seeks CP to change freq. App. April 12.

■ KQEU (920 khz) Olympia, Wash.—Seeks CP to increase power to 5 kw and change to DA-2. App. April 16.

Accepted

■ KURM (790 khz) Rogers, Ark.—Seeks MP to make changes in nighttime tower ant. sys. and change daytime TL. App. April 13.

■ KAFY (550 khz) Bakersfield, Calif.—Seeks MP to make changes in nightime D-A pattern. App. April 16.

■ WTTR (1470 khz) Westminster, Md.—Seeks MP to reduce RMS and augment nightime standard pattern. App. April 13.

■ WKQW (1120 khz) Oil City, Pa.—Seeks MP to make changes in ant. sys. App. April 13.

■ WQBX (710 khz) Christiansburg, Va.—Seeks MP to make changes in 10 kw daytime radiation pattern. App. April 13.

■ KIBG (1550 khz) St. Stephens, Wyo.—Seeks MP to change TL. App. April 13.

FM applications

Tendered

■ KTNC-FM (95.3 mhz) Falls City, Neb.—Seeks mod. of CP to change TL; change HAAT to 970 ft. and make changes in ant. sys. App. April 16.

■ KKCW (103.3 mhz) Beaverton, Ore.—Seeks mod. of CP to change ERP to 95 kw. App. April 11.

■ WEAI (100.5 mhz) Jacksonville, Tenn.—Seeks CP to change ERP to 50 kw and HAAT to 322 ft. App. April 12.

Accepted

■ KOTR (94.3 mhz) Cambria, Calif.—Seeks mod. of CP to change TL and change HAAT to 328 ft. App. April 13.

■ KKUS (98.1 mhz) San Luis Obispo, Calif.—Seeks CP to make changes in ant. sys. App. April 12.

■ WKJL (94.3 mhz) Elgin, Ill.—Seeks CP to change HAAT to 328 ft. App. April 13.

■ WRBS (95.1 mhz) Baltimore—Seeks mod. of CP to change HAAT to 500 ft. App. April 12.

■ WGTF (96.3 mhz) Nantucket, Mass.—Seeks CP to change ERP to 50 kw. App. April 12.

■ KIDS (98.3 mhz) Palmyra, Mo.—Seeks CP to change ERP to 2.4 kw. App. April 13.

■ WJSO-FM (99.3 mhz) Elizabethton, N.J.—Seeks mod. of CP to move SL outside city of license

■ WITO (107.1 mhz) Ironton, Ohio—Seeks CP to change TL and change HAAT to 275 ft. App. April 16.

■ KZAM (95.3 mhz) Creswell, Ore.—Seeks mod. of CP to change TL; change ERP to 1.5 kw and change HAAT to 400 ft.

■ WPRO-FM (92.3 mhz) Providence, R.I.—Seeks CP to change ERP to 43 kw; change HAAT to 533 ft. and make changes in ant. sys. App. April 16

■ WFMR (98.3 mhz) Menomonee Falls, Wis.—Seeks mod. of CP to change ERP to 3.0 kw. App. April 13

TV applications

Accepted

■ KTIE (ch. 63) Oxnard, Calif.—Seeks MP to change to ERP vis. 3435 kw, aur. 515 kw; change HAAT to 1,802 ft. and change TL. App. April 16.

■ KXLT (ch. 47) Rochester, Mich.—Seeks MP to change to ERP vis. 45.6 kw, aur. 4.56 kw and change HAAT to 340 ft. App. April 16.

■ *KOED-TV (ch. 11) Tulsa, Okla.—Seeks CP to replace exp. CP. App. April 11.

■ KLMG-TV (ch. 51) Longview, Tex.—Seeks MP to change ERP to vis. 3097 kw; aur. 309.7 kw; change HAAT to 1,249 ft.; change TL and make changes in ant. sys. App. April 11.

AM action

■ KYOR (1590 khz) Sun Valley, Nev.—Granted app. for MP to change main SL. Action April 10.

FM actions

■ WMGX (93.1 mhz) Portland, Me.—Granted app. for mod. of CP to change TL; change ERP to 50 kw and change HAAT to 467 ft. Action April 6.

■ WGRD-FM (97.9 mhz) Grand Rapids, Mich.—Granted app. for CP to change ERP to 30 kw; change HAAT to 590 ft. and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 4.

■ KPBM-FM (94.5 mhz) Poplar Bluff, Mont.—Returned app. for CP to change ERP to 100 kw and change HAAT to 1,005 ft. Action April 10.

■ WGTZ (92.9 mhz) Eaton, Ohio—Returned app. for mod. of CP to change TL; change ERP to 31.6 kw; change HAAT to 600 ft. and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 10.

■ KATT-FM (100.5 mhz) Oklahoma City, Okla.—Granted app. for CP to change TL; change HAAT to 1,188 ft. and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 11.

■ KLUP (97.9 mhz) Poteau, Okla.—Returned app. for CP to change TL and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 10.

■ WRFE Aguada, P.R.—Granted CP to change ERP to 3 kw and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 10.

■ KIPR-FM (99.5 mhz) Diboll, Tex.—Granted app. for CP to change TL; change ERP to 100 kw; change HAAT 521.93 ft. and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 9.

■ KAUA (95.9 mhz) Freer, Tex.—Granted app. for mod. of CP to change ERP to 190 w and change HAAT to 466 ft. Action April 5.

■ KNIF (95.3 mhz) Gilmer, Tex.—Granted app. for CP to change TL; change ERP to 1 kw; change HAAT to 500 ft. and change TPO. Action April 9.

■ KNMK (95.3 mhz) McKinney, Tex.—Granted app. for CP to change HAAT to 163 ft. Action April 9.

■ WBDY-FM (106.3 mhz) Bluefield, Va.—Granted app. for CP to change TL; change ERP to .22 kw; change HAAT to 1,122 ft. and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 11.

■ WWSP (89.9 mhz) Stevens Point, Wis.—Granted app. for CP to change TL; change ERP to 3.61 kw; change HAAT to 232 ft.; change class of station to class C and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 10.

TV action

■ WGTR-TV (ch. 66) Marlborough, Mass.—Granted app. for mod. of CP to change to ERP vis. 2950 kw, aur. 295 kw; change HAAT to 1,463 ft.; change TL and make changes in ant. sys. Action April 10.

Summary of broadcasting as of February 29, 1984

Service	On Air	CP's	Total *
Commercial AM	4,740	170	4,910
Commercial FM	3,551	418	3,969
Educational FM	1,140	173	1,313
Total Radio	9,431	761	10,192
FM translators	789	444	1,233
Commercial VHF TV	535	23	558
Commercial UHF TV	340	222	562
Educational VHF TV	111	3	114
Educational UHF TV	173	25	198
Total TV	1,159	273	1,452
VHF LPTV	192	74	266
UHF LPTV	71	136	207
Total LPTV	263	210	473
VHF translators	2,869	186	3,055
UHF translators	1,921	295	2,216
ITFS	250	114	364
Low-power auxiliary	824	0	824
TV auxiliaries	7,430	205	7,635
UHF translator/boosters	6	0	6
Experimental TV	3	5	8
Remote pickup	12,338	53	12,391
Aural STL & intercity relay	2,836	166	3,002

* Includes off-air licenses.